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NAVY DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, February 2, 1883. The President will receive the Officers of the Navy and Marine Corps in the District of Columbia, and the ladies of their families, at the Executive Mansion, on TUESDAY, the 6th instant, from 9 until 11 o'clock . m. Officers are requested to appear in full-dress uniform Officers are requested ceremony.

for occasions of special ceremony.

WILLIAM E. CHANDLER,

Secretary of the Navy.

THE WEST VIRGINIA REPUBLICAN ASSO-The Russian Empire, by Geddie, \$1.50; America, a history, by Mackenzie, \$1; The 19th Century, a history, by Mackenzie, \$1; The Czar, a tale of the time of the First Napoleon. \$1.25; Sergeant Ballentine's Experience, \$1.50; Ragnarock, by Donnelly, \$1.80; Ice Cream and Cakes, \$1.50; Rambles in Rome, by S. Russell Forbes, \$1.25; Mrs. Lorimer, by Malet, \$1. ciation is requested to meet THIS EVENING, at 7 o'clock, at the office of Major T. Gaines, Le Droit Building. THEOPHILUS GAINES, President. GEORGE T. DUNNINGTON, Secretary. 1t* THE COMMITTEE OF IOWA LADIES will receive the Iowa people at a Social and Literary Entertainment at Grand Army Hall, corner of 7th and L streets, on the Evening of February 13, from

All Iowans are welcome. A MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF the Hibernia Building Association will be held THIS EVENING, at the Hall, corner 8th and E streets, at 7:30 o'clock. By order. JOHN T. LYNCH THE EQUITABLE CO-OPERATIVE BUILD-ING ASSOCIATION will hold its 40th monthly meeting, for the payment of dues and making advances, FEBRUARY 7, 1883, at 7 o'clock p.m., at Marini's Hall, E street, near 9th northwest.

7 HOMAS SOMERVILLE, President.
JNO. JOY EDSON, Secretary, 917 F st. n.w. f5-2t THE MEMBERS OF WM. A. FREEMAN Lodge, No 2099, G.U.O. of O.F., will meet at their lodge room THIS EVENING, at 70'clock, to make arrangements for the funeral of Bro. CHARLES BEA-TEE CREAM AND CAKES. New, Iresil, and Original recipe for household use.

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CONCORDANCE TO THE REVISED VERSION OF THE NEW TESTAMENT. By John H. Thoms.

W. D. MONTAGUE, P.S. NURSES AND NURSERY GOVERNESSES who wish to receive from Mrs. LOUISE POL. who wish to receive from Mrs. LOUISE POL-LOCK instruction in Kindergarten methods in the nursery, including medical and cooking lectures by other teachers, will call to enter their names WEDNESDAY, February 7th, from 3 to 5 o'clock, at St. George's Hall, 510 11th street. SPECIAL NOTICE.

PENSOARA FREE KINDERGARTEN, MRS. LOU-Parents who wish to enter their children (from 4 to 6 years of age) will call for school tickets from 3 to 5 o'clock WEDNESDAY, February 7th, at St. George's Hall, 510 11th street. Mrs. PHOEBE RIDDELL and Miss LILLIE J. STEVENS, Teachers. f5-2t WE, THE JOURNEYMEN PAINTERS, DID, on 1st of September, 1882, by a unanimous vote, agree that on and after APRIL 2d, 1883, we will demand 50 cents per day on our present wages, making House-painters' wages \$3 per day, for ten hours work, Saturday excepted. GEO. J. ENNIS,

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1429 Pennsylvania avenue. NOTICE, THE EIGHTH ANNUAL MEETing of the Tenth Building Association, of Georgetown, D. C., will be held at Goddard's Hall, Monday, Feb. 5th, at 7 o'clock, when there will be an election of officers to serve the ensuing year f3-2t* FERDINAND KING. FERDINAND KING, Secretary. PURE VACCINE VIRUS FROM NATIONAL VACCINE ESTABLISHMENT.

For sale by C. H. Fickling, Forrest Hall Drug Store, Georgetown; R. K. Helphenstine, Ebbitt House Drug Store; Z. D. Gilman, 627 Pa. ave.; Schiller & Stevens, Nat. Hotel Drug Store; R. B. Ferguson, Cap. Hill; Simms' Pharmacy, 14th street and New York avenue. j25-1m* THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCK-holders of the ARLINGTON FIRE INSUR-ANCE COMPANY for the District of Columbia, for the election of nine Directors to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company, 1505 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, SATURDAY. February 24th, 1883. Polls open at 1 and close at 3 p.m.

ja24-dtdbm FRANK T. RAWLINGS, Secretary. DURING THE ERECTION OF THE NEW bridge over James Creek Canal-M street-the Anacostia and M street cars will run as far as the turn-table at the Navy Yard. H. A. GRISWOLD.

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Washington News and Gossip.

GOVERNMENT RECEIPTS TO-DAY.-Internal revenue, \$783,230.61; customs, \$573,775.60.

SECRETARY FOLGER WIll leave for New York this evening. Wednesday he will go to his home in Geneva, for the purpose of separating the law books belonging to his private library from those belonging to the state which has been in his pos-session for eleven years. He will be absent prob-

ARREST OF "KIT. CARSON."-The secret service division of the Treasury department has received information of the arrest at Bloomington, Indiana, yesterday, of "Kit Carson," for passing counterfeit money. He had three hundred counterfeit five dollar gold pieces in his possession when arrested. PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION TO ARMY OFFICERS .- Ad-

lutant General Drum has issued a circular to the effect that the President will receive the officers of the army and the ladies of their families tomorrow from 9 to 11 p.m., and directing the officers to be in full uniform. A COUNTERFEIT \$5 NOTE.—Chief Brooks, of the secret service division of the Treasury, has re-

ceived from New York a photo-lithographic counterfeit \$5 United States note, series 1875, check letter A. The note has a dark blurred appearance, which should be a sufficient warning to the public. first seen with check letter A. PAYMASTER RAND FULLY EXONERATED. - A dis-

patch from Newport, R. I., says that the session of the court of inquiry closed Saturday afternoon, "and although the findings were not known, there allegations made against him."

THE INSUBORDINATE NAVAL CADETS. -Secretary Chandler said this morning that he knew nothing of the troubles at the Annapolis academy furthe than was published in the papers; that he had received no official report on the matter, and was gnorant of the reported intention of the cadets to vent the Secretary of the Interior from Issuing apologize for their conduct to Superintendent patents to land grant railroads, where such roads

THE BODIES OF DE LONG AND PARTY .- The Secretary of the Navy has received a cable message from Minister Hunt, under date of St. Petersburg, February 3d. stating that Lieut. Harber is reported to have left Yakutsk to get the bodies of De Long and party.

Miles, at Cherryvale, Kansas, telegraphed to Commissioner Price this morning as follows: "Party of forty left Coffeyville yesterday for Oklahoma.

NOMINATIONS TO-DAY .- The President sent the following nominations to the Senate to-day:-Eugene H. Plumacher, of Tennessee, now commercial agent at Maracaibo, to be U.S. consul at that place; Cyrus Harris, of Rhode Island, to be collector of customs for the district of Providence: d. K. Robertson to be postmaster at Greenville,

THE SANTA CRUZ TRANSIT PARTY.-The Navy department is informed of the arrival of the Brooklyn at Montevideo from Santa Cruz with Lieut. Very and party, which took observations of the Transit of Venus in Southern Patagonia, on board.

Washington.- Mr. Lilford Arthur, of England, is at the Arlington. --- Mr. S. H. Kauffmann and F. B. McGuire are in New York. --- Mr. L. A. Bruner, of Sandusky, Ohio, is at the St. James. --- Mr. W. W. Story, the artist, has gone to New York.-Memorial exercises on the death of Elijah H. Allen, who died at the White House New Year day, will be held to-day at Bangor, Maine, and Hon. Hannibal Hamlin will be one of the speakers. Congressman Springer, who has been seriously ill, is reported better.

Confirmations by the Senate. The Senate, in executive session, to-day confirmed the following nominations: U. S. consuls-Albert Rhodes, of New York, to be U. S. consul at Elberbelg, Germany; Charles P. Williams, at Calais; Orson V. Tousley, of Minnesota, at Leipsic; James E. Montgomery, of New York, at Trieste. Registers of land office-Albert K. Osborn, at

Bayfield, Wis., and George W. Fay, at Menesha, Receivers of public moneys-Edward L. Salisbury, at Leadville, Col., and Charles A. Brastow, at Del Norte, Col. Army-Lieut. Col. James C. Duane, to be colonel; Maj. Henry Robert, to be lieutenant colonel; Capt. Hermann Biggs, to be captain of staff on the retired list. U. S. Marshal Jas. H. Coggshall, to be U. S. marshal for the district of Rhode Island. Also, flity-eight postmasters recently nomi-

nated. The Eight Hour Rule for Government Employes. WHAT SECRETARY CHANDLER SAYS.

Secretary Chandler upon being questioned this morning as to his opinion regarding the proposition contained in the legislative appropriation bill to fix the working hours in the ifferent departments from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., ald that he thought the hours should be full aours, but that some discretion ought to be alowed the Secretaries and chief of bureaus in the metter; that when the clerks had performed the work assigned them they should be allowed to go home, and they would come to the office the next day better prepared for a good day's work than it kept at their desks by arbitrary rules. "You can't," ne said, "make the hours for men who do brain work, as you would for men who perform manual labor. If it is necessary for the clerks to stay at their desks from 8:30 to 4:30 the men can do it, but he thought it advisable to allow them a rest when their work is over. He thought, however, that arguments which might apply to his de-partment, with only 150 clerks, might not apply to a department with a thousand cierks, and for hat reason he thought some discretion should be allowed the heads of the departments. WHAT SECRETARY FOLGER SAYS.

Secretary Folger said that he had not written a letter to the chairman of the sub-committee in charge of the bill recommending that the hours be fixed at 9 a.m. to 5 p. m., as reported, nor did he intend so to do. He thought, however, that those hours would be preferable to those chosen—from 3:30 to 4:30. He had, he said, intended to send a communication to Congress asking instruction as to the hours of labor, but the action of Congress had rendered such action unnecessary. "Since I have been here," said the Secretary, "I have been endeavoring to reconcile the rules which I found in existence with the existence with law which has been in existence since 1836. That law requires the hours to be eight hours in the winter and ten in the summer but I find that since 1874 the rules have required the hours of labor to be from 9 until 4. Congres will place its own construction on the law, and do away with any action on my part."

SECRETARY LINCOLN was not at his desk. Adjutant General Drum said that the change of hours was an experiment, of that the change of hours was an experiment, of the success of which he was very doubtful. His experience had been that a good faithful clerk would do all the work he ought to do from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m., and if worked longer than that he would become jaded and dazed, and his work would be apt to be inaccurate, and he considered accuracy of more consequence than the amount of work performed. f work performed.

WHAT SECRETARY TELLER SAYS. A reporter of THE STAR asked Secretary Teller this morning his opinion of the proposed increase in the official hours in the government departments. "I see no objection to the proposed increase," was the response. "If this provision should become a law the hours would not be as long as I spend here every day. I seldom leave before 5 o'clock, and generally come back to the office at "Do you find that these long hours impair your efficiency?" asked the reporter, thinking of John Quincy Adams' dictum in regard to six hours. "That is all nonsense," was the response. "A man can do mental work for eight hours a day without injury. I have been doing it for years, and I guess Mr. Price will tell you the same thing," continued the Secretary, turning to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, who just entered the

room.
"Yes, I quite agree with you. I have worked eighteen hours a day as a clerk myself, and I have not had softening of the brain." "It is not the work," concluded the Secretary, "that causes sickness and makes people break down here in Washington," ANOTHER OPINION.

Commissioner McFarland, of the General Land office, says that to "require of all clerks such hours of labor as may be deemed necessary for hours of labor as may be deemed necessary for the proper dispatch of the public business, not less," &c., will operate severely on the clerks in his bureau. He is quite certain that twelve hours labor each day of his present force will not properly dispatch the public business. He thinks if this bill should pass there will be a saving of time as to himself, as there will evidently be no more applications for places. He rather favors the eight hours minimum with a liberal "noonspell," and is particularly pleased with monthly instead of semi-monthly payments. WHAT CONGRESS IS DOING. Senate Proceedings To-day,

Mr. Sherman presented in the Senate to-day the memorial of the legislature of Ohio asking for the passage of the House bill to give increased pensions to one-armed and one-legged soldiers. Mr. Miller (N. Y.) presented a memorial of the New York chamber of commerce asking for legis-lation to prevent the importation of adulterated

Mr. Cameron (Wis.) introduced a joint resolution for the relief of the sufferers by the late disastrous floods in the valley of the Rhine, in Germany. CLAIM AGENTS IN WASHINGTON.

Mr. VanWyck offered a resolution directing the committee on pensions to inquire whether any claim agents in Washington are violating the law or in any manner practicing extortion for services n procuring the allowance of bounty, homestead other claims for soldiers' widows or orphans. Mr. Hoar suggested that the inquiry might be roperly extended to the actions of claim agents sewhere than in Washington. The resolution was referred to the committee on pensions. At the close of the morning business the tariff bill was taken up, but pefore any action upon it the Senate, on motion of Mr. Edmunds, went into executive session. When the doors were reopened the Senate resumed the consideration of the tariff bill.

time remaining before the end of the session, and urged the necessity for industry in dealing with this bill. He appealed to Senators generally, even A counterfeit \$5 note of the same series and printed by the same process, with the check letter D, has been on the market for two years, but this is the could be hoped for now or within the next few Even if there should be an extra ses-

sion of the next Congress it seemed very unlikely in view of the position of political parties in the Senate that any bill making larger reduction could be passed. This being so he asked Senators to consider whether is good authority for the statement that Paymaster Rand will be fully exonerated from the
it would be statesmanlike to leave this question in the wind for one or two or several years alarming and deranging all the business of the country. House of Representatives.

Under the call of states, the following bills were introduced and referred: By Mr. Cobb-To prevent the Secretary of the Interior from Issuing have not been completed within the time fixed by the acts making the grant. By Mr. Dwight-To regulate the sale of timber lands of the United States. [It provides that such lands shall only be sold at an appraised value, to be determined upon by three expert examiners to be appointed by the Secretary of the Interior. 1 By Mr. Neal (by request)-Authorizing the Real Estate Title and In-RAID ON INDIAN TERRITORY.-Indian Agent Surance Company to act as a trust company. By with Central and South America.

A LITTLE EXCITEMENT IN THE HOUSE. The Dakota division bill gave rise to a brief but interesting debate, in the course of which Mr. | they had no right to demand that the prosecution Burrows, of Michigan, and Mr. Randall indulged in some very sharp language towards each other, which created a little excitement. The motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill was lost-yeas 151, nays 119-not the necessary two-thirds in the affirmative.

The District in Congress.

MEETING OF THE HOUSE DISTRICT COMMITTEE. The House committee on the District of Columbia, at to-day's meeting, directed Mr. Neal to report favorably the bill to provide for the punishment of any person who may assume or practice the occupation of a private detective in the Dis-PERSONAL.—Hon. Jay A. Hubbell has returned to trict contrary to law. The bill makes the violation of section 426, of the Revised Statutes, punishable upon conviction with a fine not exceeding \$500 and six months imprisonment in the District jall, or both at the discretion of the court. The committee also agreed to report favorably the bill to amend the charter of the Mutual fire insurance company of the District. The text of this bill has already been printed in The STAR. Also, a bill making it a misdemeanor for unauthorized persons to ride on steam or street cars in the District.

> REAL ESTATE TRUST COMPANY. The bill introduced in the House to-day by Mr. Neal, to allow the real estate company of the District to act as a trust company, is the same bill that was introduced in the Senate last week, the provisions of which have heretofore been printed in THE STAR. CLAIMS OF JAMES NAYLOR AND W. B. MOSES.

> Mr. Blair introduced in the Senate to-day a bill for the relief of James G. Naylor and Wm. B. Moses. It directs the District Commissioners to examine and audit the claims of James G. Naylor and Wm. B. Moses, and to pay such amounts, growing out of contracts, as may be found to be justly due. Referred to the District committee. Capitol Notes.

> THE LEGISLATIVE, EXECUTIVE AND JUDICIAL APPROdecreases the appropriation of \$6,712 in the office of the Secretary of the Treasury and \$18,000 in the office of the register. These reductions are because of cessation of work in connection with refunding bonds. In the War and Navy departments respectively the office of assistant secretary is omitted from the bill. There is a reduction of \$15,000 in the Pension office because of a partial reorganization of its working force. A reduction of \$100,000 is also made in the sum for per diem and expenses of special examiners of that bureau because of an unexpended balance, which is reappropriated. The War department is given \$15,000 additional square feet of room in the new State, War and Navy department building. The bill also provides that the charge of the War, State and Navy department building be placed under an army or navy engineer, who shall be under the supervision of the Secretaries of State. War and the Navy.

THE SILVER QUESTION. The House committee on coinage, weights and measures held another meeting to-day to consider the silver coinage question, and adopted reslutions, which Representative Belford was instructed to report to the House. The resolutions set forth that, in the judgment of the committee, it would be inexpedient, at this time, to suspend the coinage of silver as now authorized by law. In view of the statement of the Secretary of the Treasury that more storage room is necessary for the accumulated specie, they recommend that the appropriations committee make such appropriation as may be necessary to provide additional storage room, and they further suggest that the proper location is the Mississippi valley. Representative Fisher presided this morning, and Representatives Belford, McClure, Lacey, Payson, Page 1981 Hazeltine, Singleton, Rosecrans, Bland and Delegate Luna were present. The resolutions were adopted by a vote of 6 to 2, Representative Hazeltine not voting. Those in favor of the resolutions were Messrs. Belford, McClure, Payson, Singleton, Rosecrans and Bland. Opposed to them—Messrs.

Fisher and Lacor. Fisher and Lacey. LABOR STRIKES.

Messrs. Foster, Layton, Gompers and Baird appeared before the Senate committee on education and labor to-day on the subject of labor strikes. Without taking any testimony the committee adjourned until 9 a.m. to-morrow, in order to allow the witnesses who have just arrived in the city more time to prepare. The resolution under which these witnesses are to be examined was reported by the Senate education and labor committee at

THE PENSION APPROPRIATION BILL, as reported to the Senate on Saturday by Mr. Logan, appropriates \$26,575,000 and reappropriates \$15,800,000 of unexpended balances now in the Treasury. CONDITION OF THE APPROPRIATION BILLS.

The condition of the regular appropriation bills is as follows: The agricultural bill has become a law. The consular and diplomatic, military academy, Indian, and post office bills have all passed both houses of Congress and are in the hands of conference committees. The army appropriation bill and the pension bill are on the calendar of the Senate, ready for action by that body. The District of Columbia, the fortifications, and navy appropriation bills are under constituted. trict of Columbia, the fortifications, and navy appropriation bills are under examination by subcommittees, and will probably be reported to the Senate from the full committee on appropriations during the present week. The legislative, executive, and judicial appropriation bill is on the House calendar, the river and harbor bill is in course of preparation by the House committee on commerce, and the work of preparing the sundry civil bill is well advanced by the House committee on appropriations, who will probably include in this measure, as a matter of convenience this year, all the items of appropriation which are usually combined to form the general deficiency bill.

AN INVALID NEW YORK LAW.-A decision was rendered by the Supreme Court of the United States to-day in the case of the people of the state of New York against the Compagnie Generale Trans Atlantique, which involves the question of the constitutionality of the act of the legislature of New York, passed May 31, 1881, imposing upon steamship companies a tax of one dollar for every alien passenger brought from a foreign port into the port of New York. The court holds that the law in question is invalid, and affirms the judgment of the court below in favor of the steamship company. The opinion was prepared by Justice

THE STAR ROUTE TRIAL.

TWO CENTS.

A Sick Juror Causes an Early Adjourn-The star route trial was resumed this morning

at the point where the proceedings were suspended Friday evening. Mr. Sweeny, of the inspection division Second Assistant Postmaster General's office, was called to the stand to identify the papers Mr. Bliss offered in testimony on order dated October 1st, 1878, discontinuing the service from Mineral Point to Ouray, Col.

Messrs. Wilson and Ingersoll objected to the order as not affecting the Ouray-Los Pinos route, which was under consideration. Mr. Bliss said that this order of discontinuance, together with subsequent orders modifying the service, would show that service was placed on a circuitous route, which included the Ouray-Los Pinos route, and would show that the service on that route was paid for twice.

Judge Wylle admitted the order.

MR. HENKLE OBJECTED to the evidence relating to the Los Pinos route on the ground that the transactions complained of were those of J. L. Sanderson and not of the defendants. The objection was overruled and an exception Mr. Morrill again called attention to the brief

noted. Mr. Bliss then took up route 38150 from Saguache to Lake City, Col., on which it was charged the government was defrauded by Brady by an order, dated August 15th, 1880, reducing the service and allowing the contractors a month's extra pay, fol-lowed by another order, on August 24th,increasing

the service. When the papers concerning the route had been read the defendants objected to them, as Mr. Sanderson had control of this route. PAPERS MR. INGERSOLL WANTS.

Mr. Ingersoll, in discussing the question, said there were papers relating to the route which he thought the government ought to produce, as the defendants could not get them. There was a link between the Post Office department and the De-partment of Justice. There were officers of the Department of Justice acting as special agents of the Post Office department. If they served a sub-poena on the Post Office department the papers

were turned over to the Department of Justice. MR. BLISS CONTRADICTS MR. INGERSOLL. "That is a thing that never occurred," said Mr. Bitss, "and there is no such officer as Mr. Ingersoll refers to."

Mr. Ingersoll, continuing, said that the employes of the Post Office department were afraid to show papers to the defense. "They are living," said Mr. Ingersoll, "in such a reign of terror that I don't blame them." Mr. Bliss said that Mr. Ingersoll's statement of murue; that they had never been refused access to a paper. "The gentleman," he said, "is fighting himself. It is the old story of Don Quixote fighting the windmill." JUDGE WYLIE SAID

should produce evidence for the defense. "I have not seen any ground at all," he continued, "for the imputation that any department, or any officer of the government, have willfully or designedly withheld any paper from the defendants which they are entitled to have. When they come to give their evidence, and want papers from the de-partment, the court will exert its authority to obtain those papers." The papers in dispute were then admitted to

Mr. Bliss then took up route 40,113 from Tres Alamos to Clifton, Arizona. When one o'clock arrived the court was about to take a recess when Clarence Shields, one of the

"The reading and talking," said Mr. Shields; "It is equal to a wagon." The court thereupon adjourned until to-morrow morning.

SOCIETY NOTES.

White House had a permanent mistress and her levees were a social exchange, where the leading events of the week were discussed by the feminine powers. Much regret is expressed that the affable lady now in the place of honor there will next week terminate her visit and return to her husband and children. The Blue Parlor and corridors had a light but effective decoration of growing plants, and the reception was by gaslight. Col. Rock well introduced the callers to Mrs. McElroy, who had in line with her Mrs. Chandler, Mrs. Brewster, Miss Tillie Frelinghuysen, Miss May McElroy, Miss Knevals, of New York, daughter of the President's law-partner, and Miss Phelps, also of New York. Mrs. McEiroy's princesse tollet of rich black satin, faced with white satin, the skirt front of black velvet flowers embossed on white satin, was admired for its elegance and becoming ness. She wore a white ostrich tip in her hair. Many prominent ladies were observed among those who lingered in the Blue Parlor or simply passed in line, among others Mrs. Ricketts, Mrs. Laughton, with her daughter, Miss Berghmanns; Miss Edes, Mrs. Dahlgren, Mrs. McKeever, Mrs. Angus Cameron, Mrs. Warner Miller, Mrs. Pendleton and daughter, Mrs. R. Thompson, of Holl-daysburg, Pa.; Mrs. and Miss Lee, of Boston; Mrs. Dwight, Mrs. Tyler, of Vermont; Mrs. Justice Matthews, Mrs. Ross Ray, Miss Waite and her cought Miss Moore: Mrs. Pandleton Mrs. Alward cousin, Miss Moore; Mrs. Pendleton, Mrs. Alvord Miss Koons, Miss Ruggles, Mrs. Poe, Mrs. and Miss Nicolay, Mrs. Kauffmann and the wives of several

foreign ministers. The Literary Society met at the residence of Dr. S. M. Burnett on Saturday evening with an unusually large number of invited guests, all of whom greatly enjoyed the various attractions of the occasion. The literary features of the evening were "A Ghost Story," contributed by Miss Dorsey, read by Mr. Kennan, and an interesting paper on "Historical Coincidences," by Mr. C. W. Hoffman, and vocal and instrumental selections were given by Mrs. Camp, Miss Miller, Mrs. Knox and Mr. Walter Paris. Although elaborate tollets are not considered a part of these entertainments a number of very handsome costumes were observable, and the many pretty adornments of Mrs. Burnett's cosy home attracted marked attention. The Japanese minister gave a diplomatic dinner Saturday evening at the headquarters of the legation, 1310 N street. There were present the Austrian, British, Chinese, Danish, Dutch, French, Portuguese, Russian and Spanish ministers, M. de

private secretary, Mr. Sameshima. Mr. Stilson Hutchins gave a handsome dinner Saturday evening at Chamberlain's to Mr. Charles Wyndham, the English comedian. The guests in-cluded the British minister; Senators Vance, Beck, Vest, and Jonas; Representatives Blackburn, Proctor Knott. S. S. Cox, and Calkins; Justice Woods, Hon. John C. New, District Attorney Corkhill, F. J. Phillips, private secretary of the President; John Davis, Assistant Secretary of State; Assistant P. M. G. Frank Hatton, Commissioner West, H. M. Hutchinson, Hallet Kilbourn, Sevellon Brown, of the State department; Henry Watterson, of the Louisville Courier-Journal, and a number of other provincest department; prominent journalists.

The ladies receiving calls Saturday afternoon were well remembered by their friends. Mrs. Hornsby, on Connecticut avenue, had a notably large and brilliant reception, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Jere. Black, and by Miss Mary Gwinn.

Mrs. Frelipghuysen's Wednesday afternoon and Thursday evening receptions will be omitted this The reception of last evening by Mr. and Mrs. Blaine was to a number of personal friends of long standing, and not a general party.

Mrs. and Miss McClellan will not receive on the evening of Ash Wednesday, but will receive on all the other Wednesday exenings in February. The Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Chandler gave the third of their brilliant Saturday evening card receptions, at which there was a larger than the usual proportion of Congressional guests. Miss Bettle Goddard, of Zanesville, Ohio, has terminated her visit to Mrs. Dahlgren, and returned to her home.

Mrs. Lieut. Evans, U.S. A., formerly Miss Shunk, the daughter of Mrs. Hornsby, is with her husband at his post of duty at Sackett's Harbor, N. Y., en-joying life exceedingly. NEW QUARTERS OF THE WAR DEPARTMENT OF-

FICIALS.—The work of removing the offices of the

States to-day in the case of the people of the state of New York against the Compagnie Generale Trans Atlantique, which involves the question of the constitutionality of the act of the legislature of New York, passed May 31, 1831, imposing upon steamship companies a tax of one dollar for every allen passenger brought from a foreign port into the port of New York. The court holds that the port of New York. The court holds that the ment of the court below in favor of the steamship company. The opinion was prepared by Justice Miller.

War department from the east, wing of the State, war and Navy department building to the new north wing is in progress. The Secretary has already transferred his office to that portion of the port of the port of New York. The court holds that the whole of the north wing, a large part of the basement of the court below in favor of the steamship company. The opinion was prepared by Justice Miller.

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EARTHQUAKES IN AMERICA AND EUROPE

THE DUBLIN MURDER CONSPIRACT

TOPICS OF INTEREST.

BRIDGES DESTROYED, TRAVEL INTERRUPTED ANS CINCINNATI,O., Feb. 5.—A dispatch from Younge town, Ohio, says: The river was still rising at o'clock last evening. At Mahoning town yester day one pier of the Pittsburg and Western rails

road was swept away. At New Castle junction the Ashtabula and Pittsburg railway is three feet under water. Trains from Sharon could not reach the city. At Niles' people living on the flats escaped from second story windows on rafts and boats. Brown, Bunnell & Co.'s iron mill at Youngstown is in great Appear of basing the Youngstown is in great danger of having to shut down in consequence of being flooded. The iron bridge at Halltown was carried away.

TRAINS DITCHED SEVERAL LIVES LOST. A Canton dispatch, dated yesterday, says: A south-bound freight train on the Valley railway was ditched last night, in consequence of a washe

SEVERAL PERSONS ARE REPORTED TO BE DROWNER The Lake Shore railway bridge at Huron is so tamaged that trains cannot cross, and the Lake Erie and Western railway bridge at Fostoria is swept away. At Excelsior yesterday the war works, owned by the Standard Oll company, and two foot bridges were carried away, five tanks were emptied of oil, fifty barrels of wax destroyed, the fires put out and the machinery injured Beck & Co.'s provision house, and numerous other establishments in the valley sustained damage, which will be very large in the aggregate. The Cleveland and Columbus ratiroad bridge was saved by running the railway trains on it, and by ener-

DUBLIN, Feb. 5 .- The investigation of the charge against persons implicated in the alleged con-spiracy to murder government officials was re-sumed to-day. The Kilmainham court-house was again densely crowded. The general audience largely consisted of lords, high officials, college professors and professional men, showing with what careful discrimination tickets of admission trates took their seats, Michael Kavanagh, the carman, was marched into the prisoners' dock between two policemen. This new departure caused much speculation. The prisoner has a low, re-treating forehead and sinister appearance. He looks anxious and nervous.

come revival of the brilliant scenes when the identify Kavanagh. She was only able to

ined, but never faltered in her testimohy. CONDUCT OF THE PRISONERS. When Kavanagh was identified he blushed and smiled uneasily. Brady, when he entered the prisoners' dock, had a swaggering manner. Kelly was pale, but deflant looking. James Mullet laughed when the charge concerning the Phœntx Park mur-ders was read, but none of his companions joined him. Much time was occupied in proving the let-ting of a large room in Peter street to James Carey, ostensibly as a reading room, but really for the

Earthquake in New Hampshire. WOLFBOROUGH, N. H., Feb. 5 .- At five minutes past 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon an earthquake was felt here, rattling windows, crockery and articles of furniture. The movement was from west to east, lasting five seconds. Ten minutes later another slight shock was felt. Previous to the

Released from the Ice.

been in the ice twenty-four hours. After two hours work she released her and both proceeded. Old World News by Cable.

Paris, Feb. 5.—The Soir anticipates that there will be a majority of fifteen votes in the senate REFORM IN EGYPT.

A STRATEGICAL RAILROAD DISCUSSED IN AUSTRIA. VIENNA, Feb. 5.—The Emperor Francis Joseph presided at a conference of the Austrian and Hungarian cabinets. The chief subject discussed was the construction of a strategical railroad from Japanese secretary of the legation, and the host's Huszth, at the junction of the Theiss with the Nagy Og, in Hungary, to Dolina, in Galicia. SERIOUS RAILWAY ACCIDENT IN HUNGARY.

> occurred in Hungary. Six cars fell down a steep mountain. Seven women and some men were killed, and many persons were injured. AN ABANDONED BARK. London, Feb. 5.—The British bark Olive Branch, bound from Shields for Mobile, has been aban-doned near Grimsby, where the crew have landed.

> TEHERAN, Feb. 5.—News received here states that a son of one of the principal Mery chiefs, lately dead, has been succeeded by a Russian nomiinee from Khiva. BY TRAORDINARY PRECAUTIONS AGAINST A FENTAN

LONDON, Feb. 5.—Sir Wm. Vernon-Harcourt, the home secretary, who is Low on a visit at Richle mond, Yorkshire, is the subject of the most extraordinary precautions,—it is presumed because of fears of attacks on him by Fenians.

MR. GLADSTONE THREATENED. Mr. Gladstone has received a threatening lett announcing that an arrangement has been made to murder him if he returns to London. No im-portance is attached to the threat.

MARINE DISASTERS.

NADRID, Feb. &—Renewed shocks of earthquake have been felt in Murcia.

Telegrams to The Star.

DESTRUCTIVE FLOODS IN THE WEST.

Great Damage by Floods

NOWNS AND RAILROADS IN OBIO SUBMERGED TRAINS DITCHED.

culvert. The locomotive was overturned and the fireman, John McAllister, killed, and Frank Ingersoll, the engineer, was fatally injured. The Con-notton Valley railroad bridge south of the city was washed away, and a large portion of the Strattsville division is under water. A Pacific express train on the Fort Wayne road was stopped at Louisville because bridge 18 was washed away. The train backed to Alliance, divided in two sections, and started for Orrville by the Cleveland and Pitts-burg railroad, a connecting branch between Akron and Orrville. The first section was ditched by washout, and the locomotive on the second section dashed into it, telescoping the sleeping-car, killing the porter and severely injuring half a dozen passengers. The Lake Shore railway bridge at Fremont was weakened by the rush of ice against the abutments and went down with a freight train, the conductor, Isaac Parker, and a brakeman being killed. The town is flooded, and

getic work in fencing off the floating ice and drift-wood. At Cleveland, Walworth Run, a small creek in the city, became a raging stream, and caused Weltz's ice pond dam to give way, causing great damage.

The Dublin Murder Conspiracy. CONTINUATION OF THE HEARING TO-DAY.

to the court had been issued.

THE DRIVER OF THE CAR IDENTIFIED. A little girl witness named Ellen Brophy iden-tified Kavanagh as the driver of the car which contained the men who intended to assassinate Mr. Field, the juryman. ARRAIGNMENT OF THE ALLEGED MURDERERS OF MR. FIELD.

Besides Kavanagh, Joseph Brady and Timothy Kelly were also arraigned in connection with the attempt to murder Mr. Field. It is expected that Mr. Chas. H. Laird, of the Third Assistant Post. the evidence elicited at to-day's investigation will master General's office, was then called to identify prove that James Carey, member of the Dublin corporation, rented several houses, in which the constant drilling of men occurred, and also that in one of the houses a perfect military arsenal was discovered, including hand grenades. After the hearing of the evidence against the prisoners accused of the attempt to kill Mr. Field, the two take a recess when Clarence Shields, one of the colored jurors, rising, asked to be excused for the rest of the day, declaring that he was sick, having of Lord Frederick Cavendish and Mr. rest of the day, declaring that he was sick, having a fever and a headache. "The noise," he said, "affects my head very much."

"What noise do you refer to?" asked Judge

and Kavanagh were charged with the intention of Lord Frederick Cavendish and Mr. Burke. The reason that the investigation of the attempt against Mr. Field was taken up is that the authorities intend to complete the evidence in that case to-day and then ask that the 'prisoners be remanded. The identification of Kavanagh by the little girl, Ellen Brophy, was particularly complete. She says she spoke to him and asked him whom he was waiting for. She saw him, when going on messages, three times in half an hour. Immediately after her return the third time she heard cries of murder and immediately ran to the door. By that time there were two men, besides the driver, on the car. The third Mrs. McElroy's reception of Saturday was a wel-

purpose of drilling men. He left the room in October, 1879.

time of the first shock it was perfectly calm, but instantaneously with the earthquake the air was set in rapid motion, continuing so during the ai-

CASTINE, MAINE, Feb. 5.-The revenue steamer Woodbury succeeded in releasing the steamer Katahdin through three miles of heavy ice at 2 p.m. yesterday. She steamed to Great Spruce head, Penobscot bay, where the steamer Penobscot had

ternoon.

ILLNESS OF THE COUNT DE CHAMBORD.

VIENNA, Feb. 5.—It is reported that the Count de Chambord is suffering from quinzy, and that his friends are some what uneasy about him. THE FRENCH SENATE AND THE EXPULSION BILL.

against the expulsion bill. London, Feb. 5 .- The Cairo correspondent of the daily News says it is understood that the new Egyptian representative assembly will meet shortly to advise the government on the proposed internal re-

VIENNA, Feb. 5 .- A serious railway accident has

EARTHQUAKE AT AGRAM. AGRAM, Feb. 5.—A severe shock of earthquake was experienced here last evening.

London, Feb. 5.—The British steamer Gladiolus (Captain Sinclair, is ashore at the Island of Stroma, Scotland. Her cargo is being discharged. The Gladiolus was last reported at Belfast for Antwerp and Boston. The Norwegian bark Maudal from St. John, N. B., for Dublin, was abandoned at sea, being waterlogged in latitude 39 northlongitude 81 west. Her crew have arrived at Falmouth.

DENMARK'S COMPLAINT AGAINST PRUSSIA.

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